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Docket No. 18124 (AT 20958-1035)

PATENT

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Daniel Williams Fry, Jr. et al.

Art Unit: 2839

Serial No.: 10/718,371

Examiner: Prasad, Chandrika

Filed: November 20, 2003

For: SURFACE MOUNT HEADER

**ASSEMBLY** 

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**Commissioner for Patents** 

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#### TRANSMITTAL

- 1. Transmitted herewith is:
  - Amendment in response to the Final Office Action dated March 7, 2005 and in response to Advisory Office Action dated May 16, 2005 (11 pages)
  - Return Postcard

### **STATUS**

2.	Applican	t
		claims small entity status.
	$\boxtimes$	is other than a small entity.

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## **EXTENSION OF TERM**

3.	3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.1 apply.									
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)									
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below									
	Exter withi	nsion for response n:	Other than sma	Small entity Fee (if applicable)						
	1	first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00						
		second month	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00						
	1	third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00						
		fourth month	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00						
		fifth month	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00						
			Fee:	\$						
If a	n additional extension o	of time is required, plea	se consider this a p	etition therefor.						
(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)										
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.										
Extension fee due with this request \$										
OR										
	(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.									

# FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. T	The fee	for clai	ims (37 (	C.F.R. 1.16(b	)-(d)) has b	een calculated as s	hown	below:	
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REM/ AF		AIMS AINING TER IDMENT MINUS		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDITIONAL. RATE FEE x \$25.00 = \$	OR	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE	
TOTAL INDEP.			MINUS		=	x \$100.00 = \$		x \$200.00 = \$	
	FIRST PRESENTAT			MULTIPLE DEP. (	CLAIM	+ \$180.00 = \$		+ \$360.00 = \$	
		***				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	
	(a)	$\boxtimes$	No add	itional fee fo	r Claims is	required			
					OR				
	(b)		Total a	dditional fee	for claims 1	required \$			
				FER	E PAYME	NT			
5.		Attached is a check in the sum of \$							
		Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$ A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.							
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6.	$\boxtimes$	If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.							
					AND/OR				
	$\boxtimes$	If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.							
7.		Other:	Jay J. Hoette Reg. No. 50,666 ARMSTRONG TEASDALE LLP One Metropolitan Square, Suite 2600 St. Louis, MO 63102 314-621-5070						



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**AMENDMENT** 

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In response to the Final Office Action dated March 07, 2005, and further in light of the Advisory Office Action dated May 16, 2005, Applicants hereby submit the following amendment in an attempt to place the application in condition for allowance.